

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the Application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) An apparatus, ~~in particular~~ for a component (3) of a vehicle, for laying at least one cable (2), ~~characterized in that the apparatus comprises~~ comprising: a guide means (7), and ~~in that wherein~~ the cable (2) can be moved to a contact-making means (1) connector by means of the guide means (7).
2. (Currently Amended) The apparatus as claimed in claim 1, ~~characterized in that wherein~~ the apparatus comprises a transfer device means (4) which is preferably substantially in the form of a funnel.
3. (Currently Amended) The apparatus as claimed in ~~either of the preceding claims, characterized in that~~ claim 1, wherein the apparatus comprises the connector contact-making means (1).
4. (Currently Amended) The apparatus as claimed in ~~one of the preceding claims, characterized in that~~ claim 2, wherein the transfer device means (4) has an inlet opening (5) and an outlet opening (6), ~~in so~~ that the cable (2) can be laid from the inlet opening (5) to the outlet opening in a laying direction (6), and ~~in that wherein~~ the cross section of the outlet opening (6) in the laying direction (13) of the cable (2) is approximately the same size as or slightly larger than the sum of the cross sections of all of the cables (2) which are passed through the transfer device means (4).
5. (Currently Amended) The apparatus as claimed in claim 4, ~~characterized in that wherein~~ the cross section of the inlet opening (5) in the laying direction (13) of the cable (2) is at least twice the size of the cross section of the outlet opening (6).
6. (Currently Amended) The apparatus as claimed in claim 4 ~~one of claims 4-5, characterized in that wherein~~ a plurality of cables (2) are provided next to one another at the outlet opening (6), ~~in particular~~ substantially in one plane.

7. (Currently Amended) The apparatus as claimed in ~~one of claims 4-6,~~
~~characterized in that~~ claim 2, wherein the transfer means (4) is made of a plastic material.

8. (Currently Amended) The apparatus as claimed in ~~one of the preceding~~
~~claims, characterized in that~~ claim 4, wherein the guide means (7) ~~has~~ comprises at least one
substantially elongate cable guide (8) with at least one substantially L-shaped surface profile
and/or at least one substantially U-shaped surface profile transverse to the laying direction
(13) ~~of the cable (2), on which surface profile the cable (2) rests.~~

9. (Currently Amended) The apparatus as claimed in claim 8, ~~characterized in~~
~~that~~ wherein the guide means (7) ~~has precisely~~ includes one cable guide (8) for each cable (2),
with a plurality of cable guides (8) being arranged next to one another ~~in particular.~~

10. (Currently Amended) The apparatus as claimed in ~~one of the preceding~~
~~claims, characterized in that~~ claim 4, wherein the guide means (7) ~~has~~ comprises a ramp (9)
~~for deflecting~~ configured to deflect a plurality of cables (2) from an inlet plane (10), in which
the cables (2) enter the guide means (7), into an outlet plane (11), in which the cables (2)
~~leave~~ exit the guide means (7).

11. (Currently Amended) The apparatus as claimed in claim 10, ~~characterized in~~
~~that~~ wherein the plurality of cables (2) are present at the outlet opening of the transfer device
~~means (4) in the inlet plane (10) of the guide means (7).~~

12. (Currently Amended) The apparatus as claimed in ~~either of claims 10-11,~~
~~characterized in that, in the laying direction (13) of the cables (2),~~ claim 10, wherein the cable
guides (8) are at least partly bent such that adjacent cables (2) are parallel to one another and
rest substantially against one another in the inlet plane (10), whereas they are spaced apart
from one another in the outlet plane (11).

13. (Currently Amended) The apparatus as claimed in ~~one of the preceding~~
~~claims, characterized in that~~ claim 1, wherein the connector contact-making means (1) is a
pressure-connection terminal, ~~in particular an insulation displacement terminal.~~

14. (Currently Amended) The apparatus as claimed in ~~one of the preceding~~ claims, characterized in that it is produced claim 2, wherein the guide and the transfer device are integrally formed.

15. (Currently Amended) A sun visor, ~~in particular for a vehicle, characterized in that the sun visor has~~ having an apparatus for laying at least one cable, the apparatus comprising: a transfer device with an inlet opening configured to receive the cable, and an outlet opening to direct the cable in a plane to a guide, wherein the cable can be moved to a connector by the guide (2) as claimed in one of the preceding claims.

16. (Currently Amended) A method for laying a cable (2), ~~in particular for connecting components (3) of vehicles, having an apparatus as claimed in one of claims 1-14,~~ characterized in that the cable (2) is laid to the contact making means (1) by means of the apparatus and contact is then made between the cable (2) and the contact making means (1) comprising: providing an apparatus having a transfer device with an inlet opening configured to receive the cable, and an outlet opening to direct the cable to a guide;

pushing the cable through the transfer device and the guide so that the cable enters the guide in one plane and exits the guide in another plane; and

making contact between the cable and a connector, the connector disposed adjacent an exit of the guide.

17. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in claim 16, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein the cable (2) is laid to the contact making means (1) makes contact with the connector by use of a machine.

18. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in ~~either of claims 16-17,~~ characterized in that claim 16, wherein the contact making means (1) is connector comprises at least one pressure-connection terminal, in particular an insulation displacement terminal, in that and further comprising the step of positioning the cable (2) is laid up to a point above the pressure-connection terminal, in that the cable (2) is pressed into the pressure connection terminal by means of the force which acts on the cable (2), and in that contact is made with the cable (2) in the process.

19. (New) The method as claimed in claim 18, further comprising the step of pressing the cable into the pressure-connection terminal by a force acting on the cable.

20. (New) The method as claimed in claim 18, wherein the pressure-connection terminal comprises an insulation-displacement terminal.